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Title: Method And System For Sensing Switch Position To Prevent Inadvertent Startup Of A Motor

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Applicant gratefully notes the allowance of Claims 1-13, 17-43, 46, 47, 50, 51, 53, 54, 57, 58, 60 and 61 in the present application. While Applicant believes that the claims are allowable, Applicant does not acquiesce that patentability resides solely in the identified feature or combination of features, exactly as expressed by the Examiner, or that the feature or combination of features identified is required for patentability, or that equivalents of any of the recited features are outside the scope of the claims. Moreover, to the extent the Reasons for Allowance do not separately address the

subject matter of each claim, Applicant does not acquiesce to any inference that any one claim does not present patentable subject matter independent of any other claim.

Respectfully submitted,

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